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Filed: April 29, 2005	)	Washington, D.C.
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For: METHOD FOR AUTHENTICATION)	)	March 1, 2009
BY CHEMICAL MARKING OR	)	
TRACING OF AN OBJECT OR A	)	
SUBSTANCE	)	

**AMENDMENT**

Honorable Commissioner for Patents  
U.S. Patent and Trademark Office  
Randolph Building, Mail Stop Amendments  
401 Dulany Street  
Alexandria, VA 22314

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of November 28, 2008, please amend as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on  
page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.